

Serial No. 09/736,366

Docket No. HI-0026

Amdt. dated March 7, 2005

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Amendments to the Drawings:

Figures 2 and 3 have been amended to include labels for the decision boxes and Figure 3 has also been amended to correct a minor spelling error. It is believed no new matter has been added.

Attachment: Annotated Sheets Showing Changes
Replacement Sheets

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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Favorable reconsideration of this application in light of the following discussion is respectfully requested.

Claims 1-15 are pending in the present application. No claims have been added, canceled or amended by the present amendment.

In the Quayle Action, the drawings were objected to; and claims 1-15 were allowed.

Applicant thanks the Examiner for the indication of allowable subject matter.

Regarding the objection to the drawings, the drawings have been amended in light of the comments in the Office Action. Enclosed are marked up and formal copies of the drawings.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing remarks, it is respectfully submitted that the application is in condition for allowance. Favorable consideration and prompt allowance are earnestly solicited. If the Examiner believes that any additional changes would place the application in better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney, **David A. Bilodeau**, at the telephone number listed below.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this,

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concurrent and future replies, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 16-0607

and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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Fig. 2

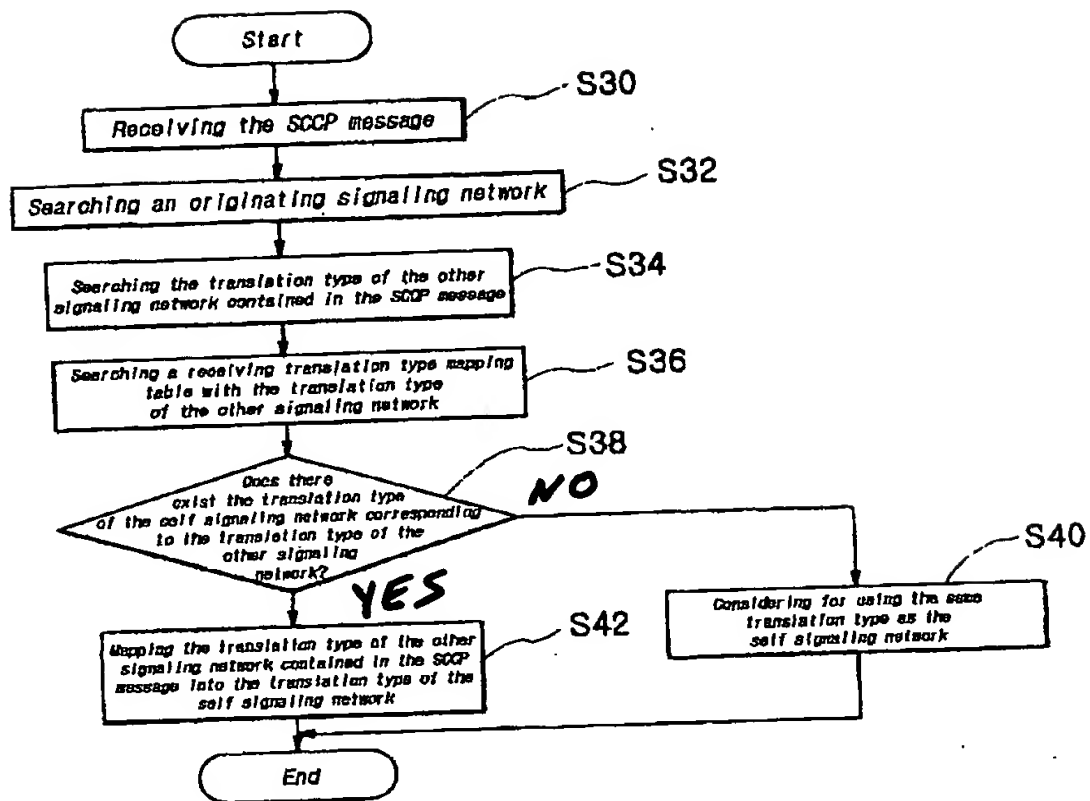




Fig. 3

